

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

FREDERICK MERRICK,

Defendant.

**8:14CR210**

**ORDER**

Defendant Frederick Merrick appeared before the court on December 7, 2015 on an Amended Petition for Warrant or Summons for Offender Under Supervision [52]. The defendant was represented by Assistant Federal Public Defender Karen M. Shanahan, and the United States was represented by Assistant U.S. Attorney Kimberly C. Bunjer. Through his counsel, the defendant waived his right to a probable cause hearing on the Report pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.1(a)(1). The government moved for detention. A detention hearing was held. Since it is the defendant's burden under 18 U.S.C. § 3143 to establish by clear and convincing evidence that he is not a danger to the community, the court finds the defendant has failed to carry his burden and that he should be detained pending a dispositional hearing before Senior Judge Bataillon.

I find that the Report alleges probable cause and that the defendant should be held to answer for a final dispositional hearing before Senior Judge Bataillon.

**IT IS ORDERED:**

1. A final dispositional hearing will be held before Senior Judge Bataillon in Courtroom No. 3, Third Floor, Roman L. Hruska U.S. Courthouse, 111 South 18th Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska, on February 2, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. Defendant must be present in person.
2. The defendant, Frederick Merrick, is committed to the custody of the Attorney General or his designated representative for confinement in a correctional facility;
3. The defendant shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity for private consultation with defense counsel; and

4. Upon order of a United States court or upon request of an attorney for the government, the person in charge of the corrections facility shall deliver defendant to the United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding.

Dated this 7th day of December, 2015

BY THE COURT:

s/ F.A. Gossett, III  
United States Magistrate Judge